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Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the necessary papers for filing the following application for
Letters Patent:

Applicant : HEIKE DRUMMER ET AL.

Title : PROCESS FOR PRODUCING AND REMOVING A MASK
LAYER

3 sheets of drawings.

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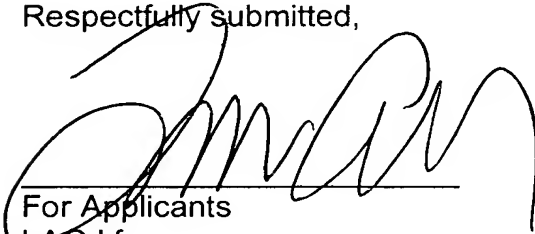
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